



KENTUCKY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

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Rail Car Incident Response for Crude, Ethanol and Other Flammable Liquids Saturday - June 1, 2019 8:00am-5:00pm (CST) Pembroke Fire Department 118 Maple Street, Pembroke, KY 42266

Course Description:

This class is designed to enhance the ability of emergency responders to assess the scene of a rail car incident, understand the resources needed to remediate the emergency situation, including how the railroad will play a critical role in the response. Course will begin from **8:00am-5:00pm central time**. **Hands-On Scenarios** using a rail car simulator are conducted to emphasize the objectives of the training including:

- Identifying the design, construction, components and markings of rail tank cars that carry crude/flammable liquids.
- Recognizing and identifying the chemical being transported, and the properties that must be considered in an emergency.
- Assessing the scene to determine the potential hazards to people, property, and the environment
- Recognizing mitigation strategies including offensive, defensive, and non-intervention strategies for fire and/or spill incidents
- Identifying key resources in the rail/freight industry as well as federal, state, and private resources for response assistance

Student Criteria:

This course is open to all Emergency Management, Rescue, Fire, Health, Environmental, Public Safety and Health, Emergency Medical, Law Enforcement personnel or any organization having responsibility for a hazardous materials incident.

Special Notes:

Advance student registration is **REQUIRED** and must be received by **May 18, 2019** in order to participate in this course. Maximum of student seats available is twenty-four (24). Meals, lodging, and travel arrangements/expenses are the responsibility of the student and will **NOT** be reimbursed by KYEM unless otherwise noted.

Registration:

Registration for the course can be completed using the following link:

<http://kyem.ky.gov/gemw/Pages/default.aspx>

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